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In re Application of

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For: SURFACE TREATED PRODUCT, SURFACE TREATMENT METHOD, AND

SURFACE TREATMENT APPARATUS

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 26, 2005, please undertake the following changes: